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Swalwell defeated Trochu in a ball game played on Sunday, Aug. 16th.

Mrs. Helen Herring's Auction Sale will be held 4 miles west and 2½ miles north of Acme cemetery on Wed., August 26 at 1 p.m. N. Boese and D. Peters, Auctioneers.

**FOR SALE**—360 Leghorn Pullets, 4½ months old.  
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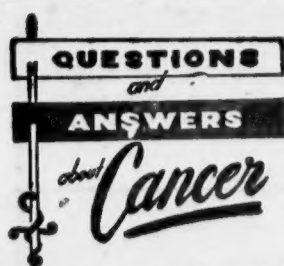
—Phone R1213, Three Hills.

Alex R. McTavish, R.O. Graduate Optometrist, will visit Hotel Acme on Mon. morning, Aug. 24 and Drug Store, Carbon on Mon. afternoon, Aug. 24th. Complete Dependable Eyesight Service.

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**QUESTION:** Is there any danger of catching cancer in handling a cancer patient if there is a sore on the hands?

**ANSWER:** No. Cancer cannot be "caught" as can diseases due to germs. However, good personal hygienic practice dictates that, in handling dressings from an open cancerous ulcer, rubber gloves should be worn or the dressing handled with instruments as are other soiled dressings.

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**BORN**—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson Aug. 10th, a son in Calgary hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Neher and family of Calgary were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Gieck.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnes and children are holidaying at the Coast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buckerfield.

Mrs. Joé Viens has returned home from the Three Hills hospital where she was a patient for a couple of weeks.

There was lots of trucks, cars, etc. at the new curling rink when nearly everyone turned out to pour cement and get the new rink erected before the 1953-54 season begins.



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**Fall Rye—A Good Winter Crop**

No less than 918,000 acres of Fall or Winter rye will be harvested in the Prairie Provinces in 1953; a substantial increase of 35 per cent from the 675,000 acres harvested in 1952. Present prospects are that Western Canada will harvest one of the largest rye crops on record this year.

**Increased Interest.** — Why Fall rye? Well, fall rye is the hardest of all winter cereals and, as Mr. J. E. Andrews, Cerealist, Lethbridge Experimental Station has recently pointed out, rye is one of the most versatile of cereal crops. It grows well on good soils, and does relatively better than other grain crops on soils of poor fertility, particularly on dry, light, sandy soils. Except in the case of ergot, rye is not subject to the common diseases that attack other grain crops.

**Date and Rate of Seeding.** — For best results, fall rye should be sown between August 15 and September 15. Later seedings usually result in decreased yields. For dry districts, the recommended rate of seeding is from ¾ to 1 bushel per acre. However, a slightly heavier rate should be used where more favorable soil moisture conditions occur.

**Varieties.** — Some varieties of fall rye are more suitable than others for certain crop districts. Dakold, a variety noted for its winter hardiness and high yield, is recommended for use in each of the three prairie provinces for 1953. However, a new variety of fall rye called Antelope has just been released by the University of Saskatchewan. Antelope is considered better than Dakold in winter survival, excels it in yield, and has a larger and more attractive kernel than Dakold. A limited quantity of seed of Antelope will be available for general distribution this Fall. Farmers wishing to obtain seed of this new fall rye variety should place their orders at once with the local elevator agent of one of the Line Elevator Companies listed above. Do it today! For more detailed information on Antelope, write to Dr. J. B. Harrington, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon.

Mrs. MacAlpine was a Calgary visitor a few days last week.

Mrs. N. Wilson of Red Deer, formerly of Carbon, is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. Diede.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Graff and children are spending a few days in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman of Medicine Hat are visiting at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. Schuler.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hubbard and family of Marysville, California were visiting at the home of Mrs. Jane Anderson. Mrs. Hubbard is the granddaughter of Mrs. Anderson.

**BORN**—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Douglas (nee Elaine Torrance) of Lacombe, a son, William Alexander. Donnie is staying at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. Nadasdi Sr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hunt of East Coulee and Mr. and Mrs. James Nadasdi, Jr. of Newcastle were all weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Poole.

A beautiful shower was held in the Lions Hall on Monday, Aug. 3rd in honor of Mrs. Ted Ohlhauser (nee Ethel Miers). The hall was very tastefully decorated in pink and white. The evening was spent in a contest and bingo, after which the bride was presented with a beautiful corsage from the hostess. Then the bride, assisted by Mrs. Ed Ohlhauser and her two sisters, Rae and Laura, opened up all the gifts. Lunch was later served by the hostesses, and the evening closed with the singing of "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Mrs. Buddy Anderson is a patient in the Three Hills hospital.

Mr. Len Hay has undergone an operation in a Calgary hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. C. Trumbley of Calgary, formerly of Carbon, was visiting at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grainger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Appleyard and Judy spent a short holiday at the Coast. They were accompanied home by Mrs. George Appleyard Sr.

Diane Bushby returned home Friday after spending the holidays at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wheat at Mercoal.

It has been jointly announced by Mr. James S. Duncan C.M.G., President of the Massey-Harris Company Ltd. on behalf of its Board of Directors, and by Mr. Harry Ferguson, Chairman of the Harry Ferguson Companies that the two world wide organizations which they represent have agreed to amalgamate and to operate in the future under the name of Massey-Harris-Ferguson Limited.

In a recent issue of the Chronicle, the reporter for Level Land mentioned that several of the farmers from his district were present at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Rosebud Cleaning Plant.

Evidently modesty forbade him to mention that Mr. John Leiske was elected to the Board of Directors at this meeting to serve for a term of three years.

Just one more community chore to take care of, John.

## TRICHINOSIS

Every once in a while there are reports of an outbreak of a disease called trichinosis. This is a painful and sometimes fatal disease resulting from eating undercooked or raw pork which is infected. Even if the animal is infected, the meat is harmless to humans if thoroughly cooked. Otherwise, it is very dangerous. Those people who handle raw meat, such as butchers, often taste it to judge seasoning and they are the most frequent victims. Pork should be given the full-time period of cooking to render it safe.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Mrs. Doug Prowse who so kindly took over as your editor during my recent illness and convalescence.

Mrs. H. Hunt

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First of its kind in Canada is this new wheel truing machine now in operation at the new \$1,000,000 diesel plant being completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway at Nelson, B.C. The unit, shown in operation here, permits diesel locomotive wheels to be machined without removing either the wheels or trucks from under the locomotive, and will be used in the servicing of diesel locomotives operating on the Kootenay-Kettle Valley divisions of the C.P.R. in Southern British Columbia. Its purpose is to restore by means of specially designed milling cutters the normal contour of the tread and flange of wheels worn by operation of locomotives over frequent, tight curves on the right-of-way through mountainous territory.



## Great Industry Now Operating Near Edmonton

EDMONTON.—The first silken strands of synthetic yarn produced from the miles of pipe and tubing at the \$55,000,000 plant of the Canadian Chemical Co., east of Edmonton.

It was the birth of a new and potentially great industry for the oil boom capital. But it was carried out without fanfare as two of the 10 giant yarn-spinning machines began producing spools of fibre.

The plant in three months is expected to be producing 300,000 pounds of filament and staple fibre a week. Production will increase as operators are trained to handle the complicated machines and as engineers iron out wrinkles.

The employees now number about 400. They will be increased to between 700 and 800. They work in buildings sprawling over 430 acres.

One of the largest buildings houses machinery to process cellulose from Prince Rupert, B.C. Cellulose and acetone are the two main ingredients of the synthetic yarn.

A liquid solution forced through tiny jets becomes filaments which are wound on spools. After twisting and packing on cones, the yarn is ready for shipment.

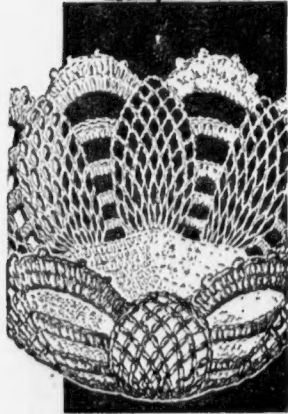
In petro-chemical units, the province's natural gas is piped through a maze of processing equipment to emerge as chemicals. Some have never before been produced in Canada.

Some of these are: Synthetic methanol, used as an anti-freeze; propano, used for automobile brake fluids; propylene glycol, a permanent type anti-freeze; formaldehyde, an ingredient of plywood glue, and diphenylene, used in the manufacture of pharmaceuticals.

The self-contained plant has its own power house and pumping station to take water from the North Saskatchewan river. There is a fire station and a 25-man safety crew to prevent accidents.

## Patterns

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### NO ESKIMOS

There are no Eskimos in Antarctica. The penguin and other sea birds along the coast constitute virtually the only wild life on the land around the South Pole.



**MODERN PAPOOSE**—Latest in baby fashion takes a tip from the American Indian and lets junior sit comfortably behind, freeing mother's hands and acting as a reducing agent as well. Designed by Lois Lignell, it's made of stout denim.

## ODDITIES In The News

A swimming hole at Bergamo, Italy, caught fire and seven bathers fled to shore with scorched swimming trunks. Flames broke out when a match or spark ignited gasoline which had seeped into the canal from a nearby pipeline.

Mario Marchetti, 34, Spoleto, Italy, opened his mouth to take a bit of bread, fell to the ground and died in a few minutes. Doctors who examined him said a bee had flown into his mouth and bitten him in the throat. He died of suffocation.

A dog-breeder, Stan Chessell, Sydney, Australia, had never seen or heard of a dog. Now he's got one—named "Irish", naturally. The dog, a kelpie, was one of a litter of seven, the only one of the lot with a bright pastel green coat.

Bartender Anthony Di Napoli, San Jose, Calif., put his \$75 diamond ring in a glass of gin because he thought alcohol would make it sparkle. Then he got busy. Came a customer who wanted a gin fizz. Di Napoli grabbed the nearest glass. The Customer tossed it off, smacked his lips and departed. The ring hasn't been seen since.

Charlie, a 15-year-old blind fox terrier owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Elkas, Greenville, Miss., is guided around the Elkas farm by a cat named Kitty Billy.

Forty years ago, because of failing sight, Harriet Sanderson, Belfast, Me., was forced to suspend work on a painting. Now 84, she recently was able to finish that painting and is busy on another.

### MONASTIC GROUP

A military and monastic defense group, the Knights of Alcantara, were formed in the 12th century in Spain.

## Home Workshop



Do not build this popular playground equipment unless you want your back yard to be the center of interest for the children of the neighborhood. But if you do, be sure to use a pattern and avoid the expense involved in the trial and error method. The pattern gives exact dimensions of each part with actual-size guide for cutting the angles of the end pieces. A list of all materials needed as well as assembling directions are included. There is no need to leave this piece out during the Winter; just remove the bolts to store overhead in the garage. When ordering be sure to give pattern number and enclose 35 cents with name and address.



The little table shown in the sketch is the height of a standard card table, with a smaller top, making it easy to carry about. It is just the right size for two-some games and lunches. Use it for typing, sewing or as a side table to give extra space at meal times. These pieces are easy for the amateur to make, as the patterns give full-size diagrams for tracing the shaped parts on to the wood. No special hardware is required; just screws and bolts which are available at all hardware stores. Either cut them out with a compass saw or your neighborhood woodworker with a power saw will cut them out while you wait. Order patterns by number, enclosing 35 cents for each. Patterns give list of materials needed and what finish to use.

Send thirty-five cents (35c) for each pattern. Write plainly Name, Address and Number of Pattern. Send orders to:

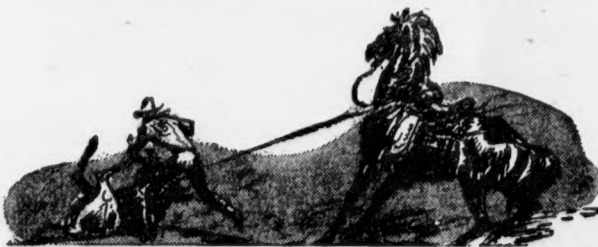
**Home Workshop Pattern Service,  
Prairie Publishers Limited,  
4433 West Fifth Ave., Vancouver, B.C.**

### Do You Know That...

In Spain a wife retains her surname and the son may adopt either the paternal or the maternal name or use both.

The gondolas of Venice must be black since no other colors are permitted.

## YIPPEE! 1953 C.W.N.A. CONVENTION



Saskatoon is to have an outstanding Rodeo in August. The dates are Friday 28th and Saturday 29th. Weekly newspapermen of Canada will be guests at the Friday performance.

### PEGGY



—By Chuck Thurston

## New Regulations For Protecting Alberta Crops From Waterfowl

Farm crops in Alberta will have greater protection from ducks and other migratory waterfowl this year as the result of new regulations announced by the Department of Lands and Forests. Three types of permits are now available for scaring or killing ducks in areas where they are causing extensive damage to crops previous to the opening of the hunting season. These include an individual permit for killing migratory birds; a general area permit for scaring birds; and a general area permit for killing birds.

Heavy rains during the last two years have accounted for a substantial increase in the number of ducks in Alberta, with the result that the old regulations were inadequate to meet the situation. The new crop protection regulations were prepared after careful study by the Federal Government and the Prairie Provinces.

One of the main differences in the regulations is that responsibility for the issuing of permits to farmers has been transferred from the Federal to the Alberta Government. Permission to shoot or scare unwanted waterfowl now can be obtained without waiting for approval from Ottawa. Another revision eliminates the restriction of seven helpers to one killing permit.

The individual permit is issued by a Game Officer or the R.C.M.P. to any person owning, leasing or residing on a farm less than 1,280 acres in size. This permit allows the farmer and any of his employees to kill ducks and geese damaging his crops.

The general area permits are issued by the Fish and Game Commissioner where individual permits cannot successfully cope with the number of migratory birds damaging crops. The areas covered by the permits are specified by the Alberta

Government and include those where crop damage is particularly heavy.

The scaring permit allows any resident of Alberta to use firearms for scaring birds within a specified area. If this method is not successful a killing permit may be issued, allowing any resident of Alberta to shoot migratory birds within the area.

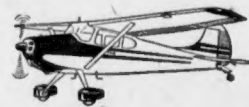
In order that farmers may be protected against over-zealous hunters, the Game Act prohibits the shooting on any posted land without the consent of the owner. In addition, the Criminal Code of Canada allows the owner to remove any persons who may be trespassing on his land.

In announcing the new regulations, the Department of Lands and Forests stated that blinds, decoys, duck or goose calls cannot be used, and the shooting within 50 yards of any water area is prohibited. Also, the actual shooting of migratory birds is limited to fields where agricultural crops, either standing or cut, are found. This does not include stubble, summerfallow or pasture land.

### DANISH FLAG

The Danish flag, consisting of a large white cross on a red field, is the oldest unchanged national flag in existence, being originated in the thirteenth century.

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## Spain Looks to North America For Tools Necessary for Survival



—Central Press Canadian.

Three-fourths of all seeding in Spain is done by hand, (left). At right a Castile farmer plows his land with the aid of worn-out cattle and a plow which is exactly the same as the ancient Romans used.

By HARRY LUND  
(CPC Correspondent)

MADRID, Spain. — Tractors are noisy machines providing horsepower but they are important to town and country—Spain bought 1,000 from the United States and Canada last year. These help Spain increase its food production and gave work to many factory hands in North American cities.

Peninsular agriculture is behind times and North American equipment has helped it modernize. Of the 20,000 tractors in Spain half have come from the United States and 50 per cent. of these were bought before 1936 and the Spanish civil war.

Local agronomists are asking for 30,000 more in the next few years and 15,000 of these will probably be made on the North American continent. If dollars for them cannot be found, the peninsula will continue to plow and harvest like the Romans did.

Today Iberian farmers thresh with ancient equipment and plow with the Roman prong. This inefficiency worries the Franco government struggling with the No. 1 problem—bread. Spain just stopped its rationing but the population increases rapidly.

Since 1936 the country has grown three million to its present 28 million. Unless more food is produced the increase can never be taken care of. The government knows tractors help, so thousands of them have been bought in the last decade.

Foreign exchange is not easy to get so those from America came on an Export-Import Bank loan. In a country like Spain which has suffered through two wars and a major drought in the last 15 years all foreign exchange is controlled.

Yet the tractor purchase was approved by the agricultural ministry. It showed a decided preference for American equipment, even when more expensive, and some units were bought from Europe, too. A few American threshers on the peninsula are 40 years old.

Representatives of American manufacturers are urging more purchases. The agronomists of Spain have an even greater interest: they say that 30,000 tractors and 50,000 teams

must be imported in the next few years or the farm battle will be lost.

Since wheat has even been bought from other countries in recent years an agricultural transformation must be wrought in this country. The soil must be worked with tractors and threshing must be mechanical. Since the equipment cannot be made in Spain it must come from abroad.

Fuel has been rationed on the peninsula so it would have to be provided, too. That served to farmers now is poor in grade. The gas rationing has made producers prefer diesel motors even if more expensive to maintain and repair.

Spain has 2,500,000 farms and 480,000 of these support only animals. Normally a large plantation—of grain, olives or fruit—can only buy machinery. Plows and seeding equipment are sadly needed, too; in Spain the motor-drawn kind haven't been made.

Thus an Iberian farmer will sell three mules to buy a 15-hp. tractor, especially since it will do more work. Here they are worked a full shift nearly all year around. Those out of order get rationed gas which can be sold on the black market.

Spanish agronomists say that pen-

insula farm workers had only 0.07 horsepower in 1943 and 0.16 in 1948. Twenty years ago Italy had 0.19; France 0.37; and Canada 3.7. Today France has 140,000 farm tractors and Italy 70,000.

Unfortunately, agricultural equipment has not successfully been made in Spain. The country lacks raw materials, know-how, and a mass production market. It is no wonder that local agronomists have pointed out that peninsular-made implements are inferior in price and quality to those made abroad.

Thus Iberia's farm future will be watched closely. The country can buy German machines with "free" currency—these units are expensive, however—or it can get more with loans from Canada or the United States.

The last deal is better in more ways than one. Little risk is involved for private bankers know the country is a good risk.

### POISONS VALUABLE

Poisons of various animals are used in treating human ailments. Rattlesnake poison is used in yellow fever work and cobra poison is a heart remedy.

## On The Side : - By - E. V. Durling

When a fully clothed man weighs himself he should deduct 8½ pounds from what is registered. That is the weight of the average man's attire, including shoes. What a woman should deduct, I am not prepared to say. Especially what she should deduct for attire in the good old summertime. Women vary so much as to what they wear. I mean, some do not wear articles of apparel which others think essential. Anyway, my guess is that the average weight of feminine attire in summer is between one and two pounds.

### Let's We Forget

Let's we forget! Let us consider what the British went through when bombed by the Nazis. Also what happens when a large city is bombed. In the first three months of World War II, England was bombed for 57 consecutive nights. Between September, 1940, and July, 1941, there were 1,150,000 houses in England wrecked by Nazi bombers. Up to the end of 1941, it was officially stated that more than 199,000 bombs had been dropped on the city of London killing 43,667 men, women and children and injuring 50,387.

### Recipe for Happiness

According to Dr. Paul Popenoe, distinguished expert on life among the married, a wife requires the following to be completely contented: 1—Satisfactory love life. 2—Social acceptance in the set of which she aspires to be one. 3—A satisfied ego impulse, that is, to be somebody of importance as the result of her own achievements.

### Coincidence, Maybe?

In many states the practice of palmistry is illegal. This is based on the belief that it is impossible to successfully predict what is going to happen to a person. Nevertheless, Mark Twain said in his published note book, "In 1895 Cheiro, the palmist, examined my hand and said that in my 68th year (1903) I would become suddenly rich. At the time Cheiro made this prediction I was bankrupt and \$94,000 in debt. In 1903, my 68th year Harpers took over all my works and guaranteed me \$25,000 a year for five years, and gave me assurance the actual return would be double that for many years."

### Significance of Dreams

When your dreams are logical, it reveals you are not having a really sound sleep. Your mind is not getting complete rest. When dreams are wild and illogical, it is because your thinking system is taking a rest. . . . A young married woman writes with interesting frankness, "While I do not feel a woman should get a divorce just for the novelty of having a different husband, I think she is entitled to make a change if she can find a better man."

### They're a Corporation

Many brothers and sisters see each other very seldom after they have left the family fireside for homes of their own. This, however, is not true of the seven Wolfstone brothers of Seattle, Wash., who have met regularly for dinner once a month for the past 10 years. Their wives are left at home on these occasions. These brothers have established a fund called the Wolfstone Foundation. When any of the Wolfstone offspring marries, they get \$100 from the fund as a wedding present. Every grandchild born calls for a present of \$50. If at any time any of the brothers needs a little money, he can get a loan from the fund. All these seven brothers are members of the Nile Temple of the Shrine of Scottish rite. This is said to be a Masonic record.

### That's the Way It Goes

Only 32 per cent. of women manage to marry the man they love and, after they have him, to hold him. Such is the situation indicated by a check of life among the married. So, 68 per cent. of women can't get the man they love to the altar. A sad situation. Still, many women live fairly happy lives by taking the philosophical view, namely, "when we can't get what we love, we must love what we can get."

### When Autos Were Scarce

In an 1895 advertisement for the Duryea automobile, it was said, "This car uses ordinary stove gasoline and costs less than one half cent a mile to run" . . . it was E. H. Howe who said, "If a woman doesn't chase a man a little, she doesn't love him."

## HEALTH

### Allergies Lead To Asthma Warns Children's Doctor

It is dangerous to adopt a "wait and see" policy when a youngster develops asthma, warns Dr. C. Collins-Williams, in an article in Health, published by the Health League of Canada.

"While it is true that some children with asthma gradually improve and finally stop having attacks without treatment, the great majority do not," the paediatrician writes. "The untreated child is liable to go on having attacks for many years and may finally have permanent changes in his lungs which will restrict him for the rest of his life."

Asthma is a disease characterized by repeated attacks of wheezy breathing. This wheezing may be very mild and cause the child comparatively little distress, but they may also be very severe and cause great difficulty in breathing. An asthmatic attack may last anywhere from a few minutes to a few days, and in some children the condition becomes so chronic that there is almost constant wheezing day and night.

Frequently, when a child develops asthma, it is found that there has been eczema for a few months in early infancy, followed by frequent "colds" (that is, evidence of nasal discharge and cough), which can often be traced to an allergy. As the child grows older, each time he has a respiratory infection with fever he has some wheezy breathing, and any respiratory infection may precipitate an acute attack of asthma. Later on, at four or five years of age, the attacks of asthma will appear without there having been any respiratory infection.

"There are many exceptions to this general pattern," the doctor adds. "Asthma can develop in a child who has never had eczema and asthma can be quite severe even in the very small infant; but the prelude of eczema and other allergic episodes frequently does occur."

A little medical detective work usually enables the physician to discover what is causing the asthma—eggs in the diet, feathers in the pillow, stuffed toys, a neighbor's dog . . . And when the cause is discovered, it is eliminated.

"In those in whom all the causative factors can be found and eliminated a 'cure' can be effected without further treatment, provided that these factors are eliminated completely for years," Dr. Collins-Williams states. "However, the vast majority will require other treatment, including injections to immunize them. Over 90 per cent. of asthmatic children treated in this manner do extremely well. They cease having severe attacks, they have very minor attacks or none at all when they are exposed to the substances to which they are allergic. They can lead almost normal lives."

### PROOF THAT WOMEN CAN KEEP SECRET

THORNDIKE, Me.—The old saying that women can't keep secrets was disproved here when women friends of Mrs. Barbara Hamlin decided to give her a surprise party. The secret was kept so well that Mrs. Hamlin left on a trip and the party had to be held without the guest of honor.

### Drive With Care!



LOOK HOO'S THERE—These two Michigan screech owls give each other the eye in no uncertain terms. The fluffy little birds are misnamed, according to bird experts, who say their cry is a series of clear, tremulous and plaintive notes rather than a screech.



### CANADIAN FASHION

Very young and very pretty are Jonathan Logan's velveteen dresses for the junior Miss. Above: unpressed pleats fall from a self-belted waistline, and the little round neck has a turnback collar.

### GEMS OF THOUGHT

#### DOING

Doing is the great thing. For if, resolutely, people do what is right, in time, they come to like doing it. —Ruskin.

And as ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise.—Christ Jesus.

Doing unto others as we would that they do by us, is immortality's self. Intrepid, self-oblivious love fulfills the law and is self-sustaining and eternal.—Mary Baker Eddy.

It is vain to expect any advantage from our profession of the truth if we be not sincerely just and honest in our actions.—Sharpe.

A good action is never lost; it is a treasure laid up and guarded for the doer's need.—Calderon.

A holy act strengthens the inward holiness. It is a seed of life growing into more life.—Frederick W. Robertson.

### Complete Village Can Be Sent In Package

A village, complete with homes, schools, shops, hospital, town hall and police and fire stations, can now be "wrapped up" and sent to any part of the world. A recent exhibition in London showed what has been achieved in prefabricated housing in Britain.

Relief models showed prefabricated communities already in existence in various countries which had been "packed flat" and shipped from the United Kingdom in crates. Specialties in construction take into account local needs, such as anti-hurricane roofs made to withstand 100-mile-an-hour gales.

## : Strictly Fresh :

A New York physician reports that gold is helpful in fighting arthritis. That's nothing. Money always was helpful.

A Minneapolis heating company says 23 cows can heat the average home. That's udder nonsense!

The steady increase in the number of working wives since World War II levelled off last year. Yep, women are getting smarter.

In 1664 a Swedish historian was ordered by his dissatisfied public to



eat his book or lose his head. At least one book has been well digested.

The American dollar is getting smaller in value but harder to hold on to.



Proud Mama  
Watches Her  
Large Litter

# World News In Pictures

Sentries At Suez  
Keep Watch  
Over Waterways

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**COMPARING NOTES**—Film comedian Danny Kaye, (left), and Metropolitan Opera star Robert Merrill, (right), blend their voices in an operatic aria during a for-old-times' sake reunion. Merrill says Danny sings as well as he does.



**LITTER-ALLY GOOD**—A proud mama sheep keeps a close watch on her abnormally large litter of five lambs on a farm in Schleswig-Holstein region of Germany. Normally sheep reproduce only two or three at a time.



**OFF DUTY**—Leo Nomellini, wrestler and football star, isn't thinking about the ring as these Waikiki hula dancers give him a colorful drape in Honolulu. But the powerful athlete might be storing up some hula footwork for his fans.



**SENTRIES AT SUEZ**—Keeping watch over the waterways of the desert, these helmeted British sentries watch a ship pass through the Suez Canal. Standing ready for trouble, one sentry's hands check the light machine gun. The men are part of the 80,000-man force Britain maintains in the Canal Zone.



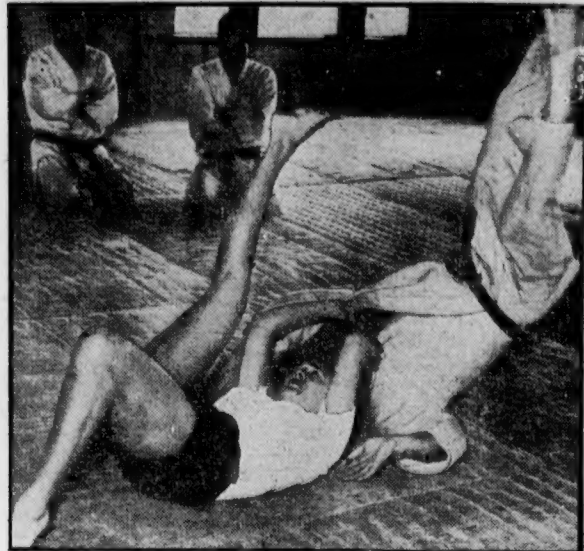
**GOLF CHAMPION**—Twelve-year-old 89-pound Phil Brownlee of Toronto battled a taller, heavier opponent and a rainstorm to win the title for 13-year-olds and under in the mid-Atlantic Golf Association Junior Championship at Washington, D.C. Young Brownlee, five-feet-four, never wavered in his championship match with Don Beach of Fairfax, Va., to win 3 and 2. Beach is nine inches taller and 60 pounds heavier than Brownlee.



**BRAVERY PAYS OFF** — Five-year-old Diana Sue Deardoff, of Decatur, Ill., the 100,000th child to receive gamma globulin in 1953, is rewarded by a Macon County volunteer, with a lollipop and the syringe which administered the antipolio shot.



**LEAPING TO VICTORY** — Showing her determination to win, Janet Delahaye grits her teeth as she flies through the air with the leap that won the women's broad-jumping event during England's Ministry of Health sports meeting.



**SHE SWEEPS THEM OFF THEIR FEET**—Pretty Molly Mercer, Pan American Air Line stewardess, is seen above tossing her teacher for a loop in a Tokyo, Japan, judo classroom. Looking on, from left to right, are Shibayama and Sato, who both wear the black belt showing their high standing in the field of judo. Mollie's instructor is Kabayashi, one of Nippon's top judo experts.



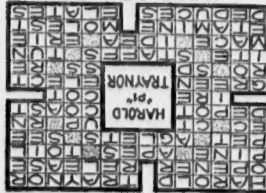
**TENZING OF NEPAL** wears an open circuit oxygen apparatus which he and New Zealand's Edmund Hillary used in their May 29 conquest of Mount Everest. This picture was made June 26 when Tenzing and Hillary visited the British embassy in Khatmandu, capital of Nepal.

## WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

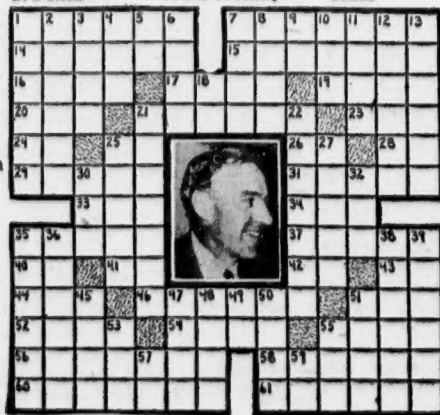
### Former Ball Player

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| 14 Kitchen tool  | 2 Each           |
| 15 Set free  | 3 Lease          |
| 16 Tree  | 4 Unit           |
| 17 Mimics  | 5 French article |
| 19 Labor   | 6 Haul           |
| 20 Caress  | 7 Woody plant    |
| 21 Shoelace tags                                       | 8 Repose         |
| 23 Observe   | 9 Boy's nickname |
| 24 From (prefix)                                       | 10 Still         |
| 25 Court (ab.)   | 11 Cella         |
| 26 Higher  | 12 Willows       |
| 28 Registered nurse (ab.)                              | 13 Soften        |
| 29 Storehouse  | 18 Plural (ab.)  |
| 31 Seashore  | 21 Is present    |
| 33 Anger   | 22 Victory       |
| 34 Folding bed   | 25 Centers       |
| 35 Verdant   | 27 Ponds         |
| 37 Choose  |                  |
| 40 Artificial language                                 |                  |
| 41 South Dakota (ab.)                                  |                  |
| 42 Steamship (ab.)                                     |                  |
| 43 Anent   |                  |
| 44 Follower  |                  |
| 46 Sticks  |                  |
| 51 Large cask  |                  |
| 52 Spice   |                  |
| 54 Notion  |                  |
| 55 Great Lake  |                  |
| 56 Bunting   |                  |
| 58 Disturb   |                  |
| 60 Inters  |                  |
| 61 Excites   |                  |

### Here's the Answer



30 Pastry was admitted to the Baseball Hall of —  
32 Consumed  
35 Soiled  
36 Turn  
38 Voyage allowance  
39 Doctrines 53 Australian bird  
45 Habitat plant  
47 Prong Guido's scale  
48 Fruit drinks 57 Like (suffix)  
49 Iron (symbol) 59 Chemical suffix  
50 He recently







**RIDING A SUN-FISHING BRONC**—This cowpoke knows he's going places on this bronc . . . and with daylight already showing 'neath him and his saddle, he knows that he's soon gonna bite the dust. This is what draws thousands of Western Canadians every year to see North America's top riders try to stay on top.

And this scene will be a premiere for most of Canada's weekly newspapermen who will see a full dress rodeo at Saskatoon's Exhibition Grounds at their 34th Annual Convention on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 27-28-29. Coast-to-coast

editors at Saskatchewan's Hub City will be thrilled by this popular show.

Inset shows Jerry Meyers of Prairie Rodeo Stock Association Ltd., Moose Jaw, Sask., who will stage Saskatoon's treat for Canadian weekly editors. He is a cowboy turned showman to handle Saskatchewan's big time rodeos every year for Swift Current Frontier Days, Lloydminster, Weyburn and Clearwater Lake. Jerry Meyers really feels proud when thousands of rodeo fans yell: "Yippee! Ride 'em cowboy!"

## WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT

### JESUS NEVER SUCCEMDED TO TEMPTATION

The writer of the Book of Hebrews says that Jesus "was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin." As we read the Gospels we can see how persistent were the temptations to which the Master was subjected.

The "temptation of Jesus" was not all of one time or place. For Him, as for us, it lasted through to the end, and His admonition to the disciples was, "Watch and pray."

But the three temptations of Jesus that Matthew records were basic and had a significance beyond any later, or inherent, temptations. There is a point in all our lives at which temptation is crucial, at which the decision we make or the victory we achieve determines and marks our whole life.

In Matthew's three temptations of Jesus the allurements were of the things that ambitious men have sought: power of achievement, "Command that these stones be made bread"; the sense of personal grandeur and superiority, "Cast thyself down" (from the pinnacle of the temple); and wealth, combined with power, "All these things will I give thee."

They were the temptations to which strong men have succumbed, and to which Jesus must have been susceptible. He was tempted, as He was tempted later, even to the last hour. But He never succumbed.

## Kitchen Meditations

By JANE DALE

### BRIEF SUMMER TOGS

A little girl with suntanned skin Plays each day along our street, Dressed in the briefest summer togs And with open sandals on her feet. Her mother wears a sundress too; For work she wears her jeans or shorts. She's never burdened down with clothes, When she takes part in the children's sports.

A little girl of yesteryear Once played upon that self same street. Her legs and arms were never bare; She wore buttoned boots upon her feet.

Her mother wore dark stuffy gowns, Two petticoats with yards of lace; Thick stockings and tight fitting shoes; Starched collars up around her face. Seems, lots of clothes were then the style. And bare skin—oh, dear!—never to be seen.

The mother and the little girl Went through hottest weather quite serene. They knew no better in those days—Shrouded with cloth from head to foot.

For me, I'd choose the briefest togs Of the little girl upon our street!

Movie extras in Italy are sometimes paid \$3.30 per day. 3050

## Newest Type Of Beet Harvester Comes To Canada

At the request of the Canadian Sugar Beet Growers' Association, a British firm has designed a new type of windrowing sugar beet harvester, the first production model of which is on its way to Canada.

Normally, sugar beet harvesters have an elevator attachment which drops the topped beet into a following loading trailer, necessitating a full-time driver. In place of the elevator the harvester designed for Canada has a windrowing conveyor which can windrow the beet from six rows into one line. It can be adjusted to windrow each of the six rows in succession. When this operation has been completed, an auto-

matic loader is driven down the line and loads all six rows at one sweep. This means that, on a large farm where a number of harvesters are employed, the loading vehicle is operating at maximum capacity and can often deal with loads from two harvesters instead of one.

In all respects, except for the conveyor, the harvesters being manufactured for Canada are of standard design, the process being for the beet to be topped and lifted in the normal way.

### Weekly Tip

#### USE FOR SOAP

Rub the threaded part of the screw over a piece of soap before inserting it into hard wood, and see if it doesn't facilitate the work.

## Ten Word INTELLIGRAM

Check the correct word.

1. Man has (32) (28) teeth.
2. (South American) (Afro-Asian) monkeys have prehensile tails.
3. Water (expands) (contracts) when frozen.
4. (Nixon) (Knowland) is vice president.
5. Russia rules (East) (West) Berlin.
6. Black (is) (isn't) a color.
7. (Wellington) (Auckland) is New Zealand's capital.
8. (Bartholdi) (Michelangelo) made the Statue of Liberty.
9. Joe Louis was boxing champion (8) (11) years.
10. Pluto is (visible) (invisible) without a telescope.

Check your answers, scoring yourself 10 points for each correct choice. A score of 0-20 is poor; 30-60, average; 70-80, superior; 90-100, very superior.

Answers to be found in another column on this page.

# The Sports Clinic

(An official department of Sports College)  
Conducted by Lloyd "Ace" Percival

## Don't Be A "Special Ball" Hitter

Frankie Frische, famous baseball expert claims that "special ball" hitting is the worst fault of hitters in all types of baseball from the youngest kids up to the major leagues. By "special ball" hitting Frische referred to the habit of developing a liking for a special type of delivery. He claims that many strike-outs are caused when a "special ball" hitter gets two strikes called on him because the ball didn't come in the area he likes it and was forced to swing at the third strike regardless. This fault also makes you a set-up for a control pitcher. Frische claims that learning to hit the ball no matter where it arrives in the strike area will do more than anything else to improve batting averages.

Frische figures that you become a "special ball" hitter from one of three errors. First that you just get the habit of waiting for the ball to come where you seem to hit it most effectively. This develops because when young players first start they don't get any special training regarding learning to hit the ball regardless of where it comes in the strike area. He suggests that coaches should make a point of teaching this skill. Secondly, he feels that too many players have the attitude that they will wait for the right one, because the pitcher will eventually throw it. The third point he brings up is the stance. He claims that the stance of the hitter controls his ability to hit certain pitches in the strike area. Too wide a stance, for example, sets up the batter for outside curves. He suggests that the hitter should use a moderate spread of the feet at the plate so that quick adjustment can be made to hit any kind of ball. So if you are having trouble boosting your batting average check yourself for this fault and eliminate it right away.

### Speed Means Distance

The fundamental that will help the average shot putter to effect the

most improvement is to realize that it is speed that gives you distance, much more so than strength. You need strength and weight of course but it is the speed with which you use your body and strength that makes the big difference. So when practicing try as hard as you can to make the complete shot put action from beginning to end as quickly as you can. Keep reminding yourself that "speed means distance!"

### Use Plastic Bags for Application of Ice Pack

As we have told you before the application of ice to bruised areas of the body is an excellent way to speed up Nature's healing action. However, sometimes it is awkward to use ice because it is hard to apply to the area concerned. Then too if you apply the ice directly to the skin for any length of time it becomes quite uncomfortable and may irritate the skin.

To solve this problem all you have to do is get a couple of thin plastic bags that are used for vegetables and fruit, and just put the ice inside the plastic bag and lay the bag on the area concerned.

Make the smartest play you can and join Sports College and take full advantage of its many services. Write us a note saying you would like to become a member and we will do the rest. Membership is free, everyone can join as there are divisions for all ages. Just write that note saying you would like to become a member and send it to: Sports College, Box 99, Toronto 1, Ont.

### DECODED INTELLIGRAM

1—32. 2—South American. 3—Expands. 4—Nixon. 5—East. 6—Isn't. 7—Wellington. 8—Bartholdi. 9—11. 10—Invisible.

The province of Nova Scotia originally was known as Acadia.

### Ticklers

—By George



"That varmint down at the County Seat said to plug it in the wall and we'd get toast!"

### VIRGIL



### By Len Kleis

### PRISCILLA'S POP—Today's Soap Opera



### —By Al Vermeer



## Canada Ranks Second In Per Capita Trade

OTTAWA.—The final figures on Canada's greatest trading year—1952—were in the books, and they showed a total foreign trade of \$581 for every man, woman and child in the country. This per capita trade level was the second highest in the world.

The Bureau of Statistics published its annual report on the foreign trade of the calendar year, incorporating all final statistics.

The whopping \$8,386,500,000 total trade put Canada back in position as the third largest trading nation, following the United States and Britain. In 1951 total French trade exceeded that of Canada slightly.

Canada also was the only nation in the world which boosted its exports and imports both during the year.

The volume of both was higher than in any previous peace time year. These increases, and an extremely sharp change in the relationship between export and import prices were major factors in the healthy export surplus of \$325,500,000.

Import prices went down much

more sharply than export prices. The result was that Canada's healthy currency bought 13 per cent. more per dollar on foreign markets than in the previous year. The increased value of Canadian currency, the hardest in the world during 1952, was partly responsible for the increase in purchasing power.

Canada remained the chief customer of the United States and also the leading supplier of goods to both that country and Britain.

About 22 per cent. of the total U.S. foreign trade was trade with Canada. This amounted to 63.5 per cent. of Canada's total trade.

Some 9.2 per cent. of Britain's imports came from Canada while 4.8 per cent. of her exports came to Canada.

Urgent world-wide demand for grain to offset poor crops elsewhere caused a sharp increase in grain exports. Foreign demand for metals held up throughout the year. On the other hand, sales of wood pulp, shingles, pulpwood and lumber dropped off as the result of lower prices and stiffer competition in world markets.

Prices of wool, rubber, sugar, tin and vegetable oils—all major import commodities—dropped sharply. Capital goods remained in high demand and the prices held up. Consumer goods imports also held to a general high level through the year.

## Canadian Fashion



(Women's Wear Bureau photo)

Light green dots add color to the pale grey chambray separates from Canadian designer Lillimar. The sleeveless top has a band of the lime ending in a neat bow at the throat.

## Cannot Discover Nesting Grounds Of Rare Birds

MINNEDOSA, Man. — The near-extinct whooping cranes which once nested in millions on the fringes of the Arctic have so far eluded any efforts to discover their 1953 breeding grounds.

J. P. Linduska, chief of the Game Management Branch of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service of Washington, D.C., made the statement here while on a trip through western Canada contacting all U.S. wild life service employees.

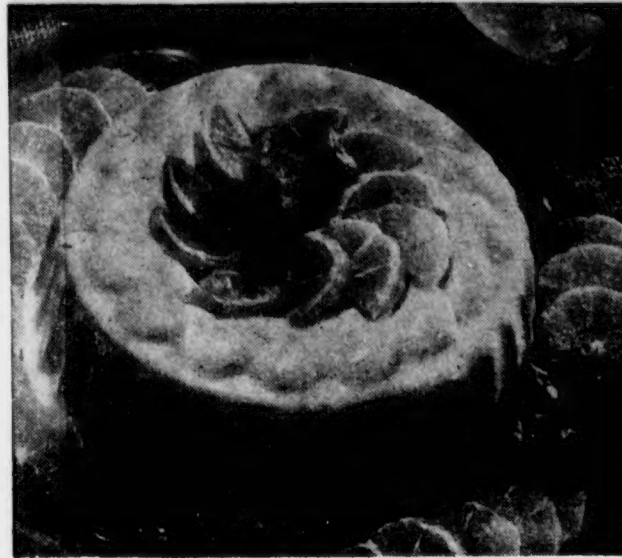
He said that at least five planes and 20 men are banding, studying and taking a waterfowl census in the west. A special effort is being made to discover the home of the rare whooping crane. There are only about 30 specimens in existence.

Mr. Linduska said recent reports indicate the waterfowl population in Manitoba is the same or possibly a little higher than last year.

## Timber Production Drops In Value

Timber produced in Saskatchewan has dropped eight per cent. in value. E. J. Marshall, director of forests said production was valued at \$8,785,667 for the year ended March 31. Poor pulpwood market conditions were mainly responsible for the decline, Mr. Marshall said. Output of pulpwood, power and telephone poles dropped to offset greater production of lumber and railroad ties.

## ::: APPETIZING RECIPES :::



Serve this Moulded Orange Salad at your party! Made with cream cheese and orange juice, it's decorated with juicy orange slices and served with easy Lemon Mayonnaise.

### MOULDED ORANGE SALAD

Three tbsps. gelatin, 2 cups orange juice, 1 cup hot water, 1 large package of cream cheese (7 oz.), ½ cup lemon juice, ½ cup sugar.

Soften gelatin in ½ cup orange juice. Add hot water and stir until gelatin dissolves. Add cream cheese and stir until thoroughly combined. Add remaining orange juice, the lemon juice and sugar. Pour into a gelatin mold that has been rinsed in cold water. Chill in refrigerator un-

til firm. Unmold and garnish with orange slices and mint of water-cress. Serve with Lemon Mayonnaise. Serves six.

### LEMON MAYONNAISE

One egg, ¼ cup fresh lemon juice, 1 tsp. mustard, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tbsp. sugar, dash of pepper or paprika.

Combine the above ingredients and beat in slowly, 1 pint salad oil. Beat until dressing is thick. (Makes about 2½ cups mayonnaise).

## Snake Invasion Does Not Worry Manitoba Town

CHATFIELD, Man. — The Chatfield area, 75 miles north of Winnipeg, lays claim to the most prolific snakes in the world—and the healthiest.

Every spring, harmless garter snakes turn the town into something between a hangover and a nightmare but it doesn't seem to worry Chatfielders.

A few snakes were reported in town this year but nothing to what it was three years ago. First signs of the invasion were reported on the highway where numerous snakes, apparently sunning themselves on the gravel, were killed by cars.

Three years ago an attempt was made to wipe out the reptiles with chemicals but it had no noticeable effect.

"We just had to learn to live with them," said A. B. Martin, municipal clerk at Inwood, a nearby village.

Chatfield postmaster Ed Hoborough is something of a local authority on snakes. He said it is a poor year for snakes due to the lack of sunshine.

Rock clefts and blasting holes in the area tend literally to become snake pits. Mr. Hoborough visited one of these, about three miles north of Chatfield. He reported it was a mass of writhing reptiles.

### BLOOD BANK FOR DOGS

HAMPTON, England. — The Canine Defence League made a country-wide appeal for dog-blood donors after the branch here saved the life of an injured dog with a direct blood transfusion from a pet Alsatian. The league wants to start a panel of dog blood donors.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Considered as part of the Great Lakes Waterway, where is the source of the St. Lawrence River?
2. In 1938 Canadians sold abroad \$338 million worth of goods. What was the 1952 total?
3. In the 12 months up to March 1, 1953, was Canada's population growth 376,000, 712,000 or 912,000?
4. In 1901 there were 271,201 Canadians over 65 years of age. How many were in this age group in 1951?
5. From what sources does the federal unemployment insurance fund draw its revenues?

Answers in Another Column

## WAITED MANY YEARS TO OBTAIN PROOF

For years a Winnipeg motorist has accused his wife of back-seat driving but only lately could he produce concrete evidence. The couple took a trolley bus downtown and from their seat near the driver, the wife dreamily watched the traffic as she usually does when motoring. When the light turned green everyone, including the bus driver, heard her remark absently, "Okay, dear, you have the light. Let's go." — Maclean's Magazine.

### SEA-GOING CHIEF

VANCOUVER.—Capt. S. G. Dahlquist of the motorship Canada had some un-nautical headgear on the ship's maiden voyage. He wore a feather headdress after being inducted into the Capilano Indian tribe as Big - Chief - That - Stands - Out - In - The - Ocean. 3050

## Autumn Planting

Autumn-planting woody plants has been studied for two decades at the Experimental Station, Morden, Manitoba. Successes have been varied, says Superintendent W. R. Leslie, but soil and weather conditions along with the date of planting are vital factors.

In all cases of summer and autumn planting it is essential that the soil be moist to a depth of at least a foot. Under dry conditions generous watering must be employed after planting. A common error is to delay unduly the transplanting. The aim is to move the plants in sufficient time to permit a goodly growth of new roots before cool soil causes cessation of root development. Thus transplanting fruit bushes, lilacs, roses and other deciduous woody material is immensely more efficient the second week of September than when postponed until mid-October. The earlier moving allows new roots to anchor the plants before winter. Strip off any leaves adhering to the twigs.

It is helpful to study plant group habits. Many subjects have a lull in their summer growth. That is the appointed time to do the transplanting. With coniferous evergreens, the pause in growth comes in mid-August. Soon thereafter a very extensive meshwork of new roots grows. August is also the time to move Oriental popples.

The tops of some plants dry off in summer. When the leaves brown and the bulbs and roots harden, transplanting is in order. Among such plants are tulips, grape hyacinths, scillas, bloodroot and ixolirion. The tulip bulbs may be dug and slowly dried in flats, placed in a shaded shed, then replanted in September. September is also the favoured time for planting grape hyacinths, squills, fritillarias and lilies.

Bearded Iris are reset in July or August in well-drained soil. Lily-of-the-Valley are planted as clump divisions in early September.

Peonies are planted shortly after mid-September. The root divisions carry 3 to 5 eyes and are placed in mellow deep soil at a depth which gives two inches of earth cover over the tip of the crown bud.

Some suggested depths for setting lily bulbs are:—Candidum 2 inches; Pumilum, or tenuifolium, 4; Martagon 6; Superbum 6; Tigrinum 6 to 8; Amabile 6 to 8; Stenographer lilies (Grace Marshall, Muriel Conde, Brenda Watts, Coronation, etc.) 8; Centifolium 8; and Regal 8 to 12 inches.

## Northwest Territories Meet Set For Dec. 7

OTTAWA.—The winter meeting of the Northwest Territories Council will be held here starting Dec. 7, it was announced in the Canada Gazette.

The eight-man council, which includes three elected members, meets twice a year. Its first meeting this year was at Yellowknife, N.W.T., June 25-30.

The average jack rabbit can keep up a top speed of 35 to 40 miles an hour for considerable distances.

## Helpful Hints

Fresh fish may be washed off, but it should never be allowed to soak in water for any length of time, as this will destroy the flavor of the fish and cause the flesh to be of a flabby texture.

If jelly will not thicken, put a grated carrot in a clean piece of cheesecloth and strain a few drops into the jelly. Then boil just a few minutes longer.

If a raveling is drawn from the material which is to be darned, and then used as the thread, it will give the particular shade of thread desired, and the darn will be less noticeable.

Odors in the refrigerator, cupboard or pantry can be removed by filling a dish with boiling water and dropping in a piece of charcoal.

### Smile Of The Week

Sign on florist's truck—"Drive Carefully! The next load may be yours!"

### ANSWERS TO QUICK QUIZ

ANSWERS: 5. Employees and employers contribute equal amounts and one fifth of their total contribution is added from federal tax revenues. 3. 376,000. 1. In the State of Minnesota. 4. There were 1,086,273 Canadians over 65 years of age. 2. 1952 exports totalled \$4,356 million.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

A point near Gibraltar, Spain, is farther south than any other point on the European mainland.

## Proper Beach Wear for That Trim Look

By EDNA MILES

Looking pretty at the beach takes work in the form of beforehand planning. Even casual observance of beach get-ups leads to the suspicion that 75 per cent. of all women at the beach have never so much as glanced at themselves in the mirror before they left the house.

Full length appraisal is essential. The swim suit to cut down figure faults has been on the market for some time now and is no rarity. The sand or sitting suit that performs similarly is designed to be kind to too-heavy thighs, upper arms and bust.

A good many women continue to cram themselves into that hardest of all suits to wear: white. This demands the absolute in figure perfection. Or, women with large derrieres bounce about in bloomer suits with ruffles across the back. They also are fond of pink which is definitely enlarging.

Another failing is that of "wearing out" old housedresses or just plain old clothes at the beach. This is fooling yourself, just like eating that last piece of pie "to keep from wasting it". You're in the public



Halter top for shorts or skirts is in white or black pique. This Dorothy Korby design is ideal for beach or summertime evenings.



Casual summer shoe that takes readily to sand is this Desco design in gray denim with black leather trim. Light crepe sole is flexible; whole shoe can roll up into the palm of a hand.

eye at the beach so look your very best.

Sleek top for a pair of trim shorts is Dorothy Korby's little molded pique halter in black or white with a single big shiny black button. Bring along a skirt for cover-up and

you're ready to go on from the beach to dinner.

We've picked a sandshoe with denim upper and crinkly crepe sole as a likely beach candidate. It's light, very flexible and comes in gray denim with black kid trim.



## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY —

## THE PLAN

By ANNA E. WILSON

TED HAZEN often said that folks would be happier if they only realized that bad luck has a way of changing into good luck if their work was well done. Then he'd chuckle and tell about the time he'd drawn the plans for the town hall.

Ted was just out of college then and all he'd needed to become a good architect was a bit of shaping by slow, drawing Cal Brown and maybe a lesson from old Jed Haynes on his duty to his fellow men.

Ted hadn't finished the plans until the last day allowed by council for turning them in. He had run a tired hand through his hair and smiled at Joan Blair. "There it is, Jo."

Jo was a sensible girl with brown eyes. "It'll be wonderful. When I showed the extra blueprint to Mr. Craven he said he'd never seen anything so well-planned."

Ted's tired shoulders had lifted. "Mr. Coombs and Mr. Frayne and Mr. Moriarty are all for it, Jo, and they are the richest men in town. All I have to get now is the approval of Jed Haynes. Said when Jed Haynes explains his ideas to council, they mostly agree to go his way. If the plans are accepted—well, Jo, we're made."

Jo had sighed. "There's been no other plans put in except Cal Brown's. Cal says his look like a soap box and that he drafted it while waiting for a train." Jo suddenly exclaimed, "Come on, Ted, let's celebrate."

With Jo that always meant coffee and pie at the corner lunch. That's

where they had met. In no time at all he'd been telling Jo about working his way through college and she was confiding that she was studying typing at night. Pretty soon he'd asked her out. He'd said, "You don't know how much it helps a poor man's self-respect to spend a little money on a girl," and Jo had said just as simply, "All right, Ted, the coffee's on me."

It would have been a lot harder for him if it hadn't been for Cal Brown. Cal owned a small building outfit and gave him a job making up the payroll. Sometimes Cal would look over Ted's drawings and sigh. "Wish I'd got more education when I was young, but it wasn't so easy after the first war. Went into it from high school, spent my gratuities on a cement mixer as soon as I got out and started excavating."

Jo had finished her typing course before he got through and had gone to work for Mr. Craven but she had gone on meeting him for lunch. After he graduated, he had taken over a small office and gone on working for Cal. He'd been getting discouraged. Cal looked in one day and drawled. "Doesn't seem sense your working on books, Ted, when you could make more as a foreman with the men." He'd been glad of the chance to learn more about building as well as having extra money to take out Joan. Then Cal mentioned the hall. "You might try for it, Ted. I'm putting in a plan myself but only to remind them that I'm still in the construction business."

For three months he gave it everything he had. "Tomorrow," he promised Joan as they polished off pie with ice cream, "we'll have a full course meal."

The next day he'd been still jubilant when Jed Haynes called him. "But Mr. Haynes," he argued dully an hour later, "You can't turn my plan down. Why, the best men in town approve it."

A shrewd eye regarded him from under a shaggy brow. "Yes, that's so, Ted. I approve of it myself but who's going to pay for it? The money for it is borrowed and the payments added to the property taxes over a period of years. Who'll pay the taxes? Not Craven. His property is just over the line. Not Coombs. Al's nearly seventy and his estate goes to a nephew when he's gone. No, Ted, it's the farming folks who are going to pay and with prices what they are we've got to keep down expense. Now this plan of Cal's is a usable job."

Ted had burned with humiliation. This had been his chance and he'd lost it for want of common sense. He had thought bitterly of Cal Brown who had been so full of praise, knowing what would happen all along. He'd hunted up his fishing rod and tramped until he had worn out his frustration. And until he had remembered Joan. Nothing could be so very bad while he still had Joan.

He collided with her at the office door. She was breathless. "Ted, where have you been? Mr. Craven's been looking all over for you. Wants you to draw the plans for his summer cottage and Cal Brown says that a couple of men on the council want to see you about plans of their own. Why, Ted—"

Funny how much he'd wanted to kiss Joan. Over coffee they summed up his good luck. "Cal says it wouldn't have done me much good to have put in the winning plan. Says the plan I got before them showed what kind of an architect I really am. It was just a case of bad luck, that was really good luck, but," his hand found Jo's across the table, "my real luck, Jo, was finding you."

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Before there were clocks in England, the King's cock crower solemnly crowed the hours around the King's palace.

## Fire Guard Road To Be Constructed

PRINCE ALBERT.—The construction branch of Saskatchewan's natural resources department plans to build approximately 250 miles of fire guard road this year, Director R. N. Gooding announced here.

He said the biggest project would be in the Bronson and Meadow Lake provincial forests. In addition, the branch will maintain about 1,200 miles of existing fire guard road in the province's parks and forest reserves, and will do extensive rebuilding and regrading.

Last year, the branch's fire guard program saw completion of 145 miles of new road, the rebuilding and regrading of an additional 160 miles of existing road, along with 89 miles of new construction done in conjunction with the Saskatchewan Timber Board and mining companies in the province.

Mr. Gooding said there are now approximately 2,000 miles of fire guards and roads in Saskatchewan's forested areas. Though built primarily for forest fire control and timber extraction, these roads also extend the scope of game patrol and management, as well as open many new lakes for commercial and sport fishermen.

## Funny and Otherwise

A man telephoned a hardware store to order a scythe. "Size?" asked the assistant who took the call.

"Not size," the man replied. "Scythe."

"Yes, yes, I can hear you," said the salesman. "How much size?" "No, no, no," the customer replied. "Not size, but scythe—SCYTHE. A grass cutter."

"Oh," said the assistant, "I've got you now. I'll send it round in the morning."

The next day a van delivered at the customer's house a glass cutter.

"Do you realize, my dear, that you have never done anything to save your fellow-men any suffering?"

"Didn't I marry you?"

A man and his wife, celebrating the coronation, called at a public-house for a drink. The husband asked for a pint and the wife had a cocktail. The woman asked the barman for a cherry, but he didn't understand and fetched the manager, who supplied one. Upon which the barman exclaimed to the husband: "What would you like in your pint—a toffee-apple?"

An actress came off the stage after a successful first night, and was surprised when the manager handed her a beautiful bouquet and a packet of mari-gold seeds.

"The bouquet is from a gentleman in the stalls, and the packet of seeds from a Scotsman in the gallery," was his explanation.

"Darling!" he implored her, "will you marry me? If you refuse, I shall die!" She refused and he died—60 years later.

History teacher: "In what battle did General Wolfe, hearing of victory, cry, 'I die happy?'" Smart Kid: "His last battle."

"I know your face." "I'm not surprised. I've had it quite a long time."

"I came to make an appointment with the dentist."

"He's out just now," said the receptionist, "but—"

"Thank you," interrupted the prospective patient, "when will he be out again?"

Drive With Care!

## Two Newspapermen Have Combined Age of 157 Years



The above snapshot reproduction was taken at a banquet held in Vermilion on May 1st last. The two parties pictured are S. R. P. Cooper, (right), and A. L. Horton. Mr. Cooper, who recently pretended to retire from active work on the Vermilion Standard is 80 years young, while the other guy confesses to a vernal 77. Thus their combined age is 157 years, of which at least 130 have been spent in one form or another in the printing and newspaper business. Mr. Cooper founded the Vermilion Standard in 1909, in succession to the Vermilion Signal, which was edited by W. B. Cameron the well-known author of the "War Trail of Big Bear". Mr. Cooper and Mr. Horton have been intimate friends for nearly 50 years and share some common experiences. In fact, there is little about the weekly news-

paper business which they do not know. In their younger days, they also shared a great liking for the winter recreation of curling. But not any more. No Snake Oil nor any other patented preparation can restore the necessary lubrication for the old joints.

The picture, of course, does not do justice to either of them. Nothin' could.

While the two above gentlemen we believe have a record, there are also other pioneer newspaper men in Alberta that come near a record. Fred Turnbull of the Red Deer Advocate has been there since 1906 along with F. W. Galbraith, father of Phil Galbraith, the present publisher. Then there is Charlie Willis, of Stettler, Alta., who also came along in 1906 from Manitoba and has continued at Stettler.

## RECORD IN SIGHT

Canada's soft drink industry, thanks to a hot summer, is expecting to break a record, reports the Financial Post. Even the all-time high of 103 million gallons drunk in 1950 may be exceeded.

## NOT TAKING CHANCES

CALGARY.—Alberta doctors are taking no chances against rabies. They have advised a Pasteur inoculation to more than 50 persons bitten by animals which might be infected.

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## THE TILLERS



—By Les Carroll



## Civil Defence

### THE A.B.C. OF MODERN WAR WEAPONS

Canada's planners for defence on the home front remind us the ABC of modern war weapons is far from simple. Only skilled scientists understand it thoroughly. But there is no mystery about the symbols themselves. ABC, as applied to lethal weapons, means Atomic, Biological and chemical agents.

Atomic weapons and their powers and peculiarities have been described already in this series of articles. Canada is openly preparing to defend herself against possible atomic attack, and much of the government's advice to our people is based on the assumption that our cities could be targets for aerial attack, employing this powerful new type of explosive—even for the newer and supposedly more devastating hydrogen bomb.

At the same time, civil defence authorities don't want Canadians to overlook other wartime threats any more than they want them to think that all these preparations are only for war. Not only are we providing services capable of dealing with enemy mis-

chief, but also for handling peacetime disasters which are possibilities in the most civilized and ordered times and places. Furthermore we must take into account other hostile acts which, if not anticipated and countered could eventually do us quite as much harm as any A or H bomb.

### BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS

The use of germs, toxins, etc., which is what is meant by biological warfare—is by no means new. Indeed, mankind has been waging biological warfare all through human history. You fight such agents when you combat disease. Killing flies, spraying mosquito breeding grounds, battling crop pests—all are aimed at preventing the spread of sickness, destruction of our food and pollution of our water supplies. Without such safeguards, disease would soon sweep our land and all living things in it would perish.

Treatment of city water supplies, protection of our pumps and wells in the country, garbage removal and slum clearance, with eternal vigilance against such disease carriers as the rat, are all civil defence measures with which we are so familiar that we are apt to forget, sometimes, how essential they are to our very survival.

In wartime, enemy agents could see to it that these protective services were disrupted. Thus, we are reminded by civil defence authorities, Canadians everywhere must redouble their guard and maintain high sanitary standards if war threatens. While civic ensure that there is no tampering with water supplies food handling, etc., the farmer must watch to detect the first signs of widespread crop infestation or pollution of rivers, ponds, etc., which water his crops livestock and very family.

### CHEMICAL AGENTS

....Another danger of which we are warned is chemical warfare. All Canadians know of the gas attacks of the first World War, and have undoubtedly read of widespread death through accidental discharge, in peacetime, of poisonous fumes from factories handling highly toxic substances. By introducing death-dealing substances into the very air, as well as by fouling our food and water with chemical poisons, an enemy, with enough saboteurs and material planted throughout the country, could cripple our ability to fight.

Here again modern safeguards such as water filtration, air testing, etc., are our hope for the early detection of such dangers and our scientists are ready to act to fend off outbreaks, should they occur.

The ordinary citizen can help, officials say, by reporting any suspicious activity or apparent attempt to tamper with public utilities. Factory staffs and working people generally know that special care must be taken at all times to prevent dangerous accumulations of fumes and other harmful substances used in certain industrial operations. Under threat of war, they, and all of us, must be doubly vigilant.

### WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

....In many parts of this continent, including our own country, there have been natural disasters caused by flood, wind or fire. In recent years these emergencies have shown what well-trained volunteers, many of them civil defence personnel, can accomplish in such times of need. Civil defence training teaches volunteers how best to help their fellow citizens when disaster strikes.

### SHOO-FLY

One of our most dangerous and useless pests is the housefly. He specializes in carrying germs right into the home. His travels may have taken him from garbage and other filth right onto the dining-room table or the baby's face, unless he is prevented from entering a home. All windows should be screened against his entry and insect sprays should be used generously to decrease his numbers.

### WARE LOLLYPOPS & CANDIES

Authorities have discovered

that children who are unable to get candies and other sweets of ten have much better teeth than those who consume far too much sugary foods and soft drinks. Even candies and other sweets might not be so harmful to teeth if the toothbrush were used immediately after eating—and "immediately" means "at once", since dangerous mouth acids form in a matter of minutes.



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### A New Exhibit—See It At The Fair

Something completely new and different in travelling agricultural exhibits has been launched on a tour of Western Canada by the Line Elevators Farm Service. Maintaining their reputation for attractive and instructive agricultural exhibits the Line Elevator Companies listed above will be represented at the "B" and "C" class Fair circuits in Western Canada by another "Agricultural Show on Wheels." This modern educational display is another step forward in the program of agricultural work designed to promote better and more profitable farming practices in the Prairie Provinces.

A *Luxury Trailer*. The 1953 mobile exhibit unit is a large luxury trailer, containing a number of attractive, entertaining and instructive agricultural displays. It is the latest word in "travelling farm schools." One of the subjects featured this year is "Farm Safety." Mechanically-operated small scale models show the main causes of farm accidents. Another exhibit deals with "Soil Erosion"; while a third display is an interesting "peep-show" portraying the more important "Insect Enemies" of agriculture in Western Canada. The current exhibit will carry a full line of authoritative publications dealing with major crop production problems. These are available to farmers, free of charge. A member of the Farm Service Department will be on hand to answer questions.

An *Invitation*. We extend a cordial invitation to all our readers, particularly farm people and grain buyers, to visit our new 1953 "Agricultural Exhibitour" when it is on display at their local Fair. Watch your local newspaper for further announcements. Line Elevator grain buyers are urged to put their full support behind the activities of their local Agricultural Society. Help to make your own community Fair an outstanding success in 1953. Let's see you at the Fair!

## SEE the EAST



## IN IT'S Summer Splendor

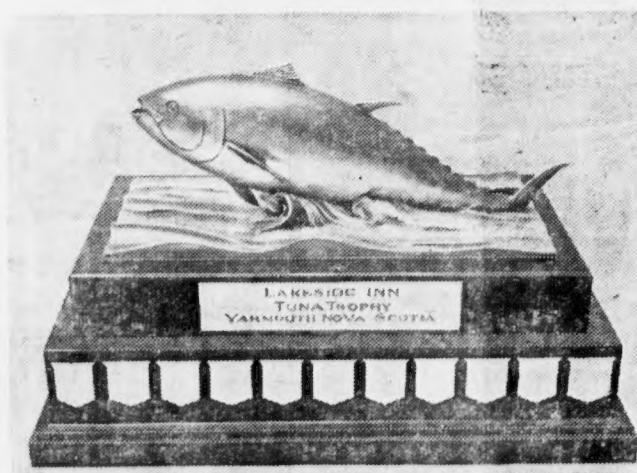
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To be competed for by guests of the Lakeside Inn, a Canadian Pacific Railway summer resort at Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, the trophy is to be kept at the Inn and the winner's name will be inscribed annually on a shield to be placed on the trophy. This is the first year that the competition has been held, but it will be open each year during the period that the Lakeside Inn is in operation—usually from the last week of June to mid-September. All entries must be in by October 1, and a winner will be declared on October 15th.



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## YOU CAN STOP FASTER THAN THE BIG FELLOW!

